

## FOOTBALL SEASON OPENS AT ALLEN

First Game Friday Afternoon at 4:30  
on Academy Grounds.

The first football game on Allen Academy's schedule this season will be played Friday afternoon on the academy grounds with the Blinn Memorial team from Brenham.

The game promises to be an exciting one, for the Blinn fellows are said to be a healthy bunch, and the innocent bystander will see things gyrate when the referee shrills his whistle at 4:30, for Coach Melton and Captain Hamner have a likely squad of twenty-five to pick their team from. Places have not yet been assigned, the boys having been grilling under strenuous scrimmage work, so now they are on their marks, as each man knows that his chance for an "A" depends on his doing his level best, for individual merit is what counts at Allen Academy. Positions are not assigned through favoritism, but go to the men who work hard, honestly and earnestly. This is the secret of the success of the academy teams and the constant emphasis on clean athletics has instilled into the hearts of the boys a love of fair play and a respect and pride for the school which has caused Allen Academy to be known over the state as "the school with school spirit." The new coach, O. Q. Melton of Emory College, Oxford, Ga., proves to be a very popular and efficient young man. While the Allen boys will not exactly swear in the court-house that they will win, they do promise that there will be none of the squabbling spirit which is such a disgusting feature to the spectator. Go out Friday at 4:30 p. m. if you want to see a stiff, racey game—an exhibition of clean, manly sport which will set the blood racing in your veins.

Friday week the Allen boys will play Houston High. Time spent in watching these games is not wasted, for they carry inspiration and snap which give the spirits a tensing which they can get in no other way.

An A. and M. Boy Heard From. In the Meridian (Miss.) Dispatch of recent issue appeared a full page advertisement of the Marty Foundry Company, one of the largest plants of that state, and one of the largest of the kind in the South. In the list of officers of the concern we noted the name of Phil Dross, vice president and general manager. Dross is a Texas boy, raised at Brenham, and a graduate of the A. and M. College. Another evidence that the graduates of old A. and M. are making good everywhere they go.

### JUDGE CLARK RESIGNED.

Judge Tom D. Clark tendered his resignation as county judge of Madison county to the county commissioners' court, which met in called session last Monday. The court appointed ex-county Judge W. W. Sharp to fill out the unexpired term.

Judge Clark assigned his continued ill health as the reason for resigning, with the hope that several weeks of uninterrupted rest will restore his health.—Madisonville Meteor.

## ROSS VOLUNTEERS OFFICERS ELECTED

A. and M. Military Organization Held  
First Meeting Sunday—Many  
New Members.

At a meeting of the Ross Volunteers Sunday afternoon the following officers were elected for the year: W. A. Orth of Yoakum, captain; J. J. Waters of San Antonio, first lieutenant; C. A. Whitfield of San Angelo and R. E. Baylor of Montell, second lieutenants; and O. J. James of Monclova, Mexico, W. G. Beasley of Cleburne and W. A. Smith of Denison, sergeants. The Ross Volunteers is an honorary military organization composed of the best drilled men at A. and M. College. Seventeen new members were admitted, all of whom were given a warm reception by the old members. All the classmates except the freshmen have perfected organizations and elected officers for the year. The seniors have chosen the following officers: J. A. Schofield of Hillsboro, president; R. E. Baylor of Montell, vice president; E. G. Eagleston of Smithville, secretary-treasurer; and J. F. Brown of Cherokee, historian. A committee with Tyree Bell as chairman was appointed to select a class ring.

The junior class elected the following officers: W. G. Beasley of Cleburne, president; A. A. Lenert of La Grange, vice president; F. W. Hoeptner of Houston, secretary-treasurer; C. A. Cushman of Sherman, sergeant-at-arms; and E. L. Panner of San Antonio, historian. L. H. Powell was named as chairman of a committee to select a class pin, and W. A. Smith was elected chairman of a committee to arrange for the junior ball.

The sophomores elected the following officers: D. E. Morrison of Palacios, president; D. W. Spurlock of Corsicana, vice president; R. L. Trew of Myra, secretary-treasurer; R. R. Allen of Palestine, historian; and F. C. Bennett of Henderson, sergeant-at-arms.

### MR. ED. STEELE.

Died, at Allenfarm, Thursday, October 3, 1912, Mr. Ed. Steele, aged about 40 years.

Deceased had been a sufferer from pellagra for several weeks, hence his death was not unexpected to the family. He was born at Millican and will be taken there for burial today, the funeral to occur at 2 o'clock. Mr. Steele was a cousin of Mr. W. L. Steele of this city and was well known to a number of our people, frequently visiting this place on matters of business. He was well liked by all and his death will be universally regretted.—Navasota Examiner.

### Where He Drew the Line.

The Duc de Raguse once explained to the Countess de Bolgne the nature of his connection with the emperor in a phrase which is more or less applicable to whole nations. He said: "When the emperor said, 'All for France,' I served with enthusiasm; when he said, 'France and I,' I served with zeal; when he said, 'I and France,' I served with obedience; but when he said, 'I, without France,' I felt the necessity of separating from him."—Argonaut.

# STYLE IN CLOTHES

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### SOLVING THE HOG PROBLEM

Fort Worth, Texas, Oct. 8.—"The Texas packing houses have been trying for years to encourage hog raising and what has been the result?" said Hugh Jamison, a director of the Fort Worth Chamber of Commerce, in conversation with a representative of the Texas Commercial Secretaries and Business Men's Association.

"The supply has been steadily declining and it looks as though the packers' efforts have been in vain. What we need is more experienced hog raisers in Texas and the place to get them is in Scotland, Ireland and England. In those countries swine breeding is a science through necessity, for the land is practically non-productive. A farmer there will raise a herd of swine on one-half what it costs the American farmer by scientific and systematic methods. His livelihood depends on the success of his hogs and therefore he gives the raising of his stock, his best attention."

"We should reach these people through personal contact and show them the wonderful opportunity abounding in Texas. The result would be almost beyond belief. You have but to mention Texas in the old country and a crowd will gather and listen to your words with concentrated attention."

"The state of Texas should appropriate ten or fifteen thousand dollars with which to properly equip a party with data and information on this state and arrange for a tour of those countries, giving illustrated lectures through moving pictures and distributing pamphlets throughout the rural districts exploiting the true resources of this fertile country. Most everyone knows of the system employed by the Dominion of Canada in throwing the tide of immigration into that country. Parliament gave to every steamship line and transportation company a bonus of five dollars per head on every immigrant brought and delivered within the borders of Canada. At first this method was satisfactory. But later on the competition between the transportation companies became so great that steamships were sent to all ports along the Mediterranean sea and an inferior class of people were induced to come to Canada. Special rates, sometimes as low as fourteen dollars from any point in the old country to any point in Canada were offered the settlers. Texas must secure a better class of immigrants and in order to do so we must solicit those living in more enlightened countries."

It is a fact that many experienced farmers could be induced to migrate to this country in preference to less fertile lands in the Northwest, if they but knew of the demand for hogs in Texas and were acquainted with the excellent conditions here which would furnish them a ready and profitable market for their products. Mr. Jamison's suggestion offers an excellent solution to the hog problem.

The following table shows a comparison of the number and value of swine in Texas during the past three years and bears out the statement of a decline in the number of head and value:

1910 3,205,000 head	value \$21,153,000
1911 2,570,000 head	value \$19,789,000
1912 2,544,000 head	value \$16,027,000

### HOUSTON MARKET REVIEW

Houston, Texas, Oct. 8.—The Houston produce market is glutted with turkeys, but all fresh eggs possible are wanted. Warnings have been sent out by the dealers against the shipment of turkeys until the present supply in sight, is exhausted. The market is glutted and prices are far below profit to the shipper. In the fresh egg department eggs are going to the trade at 25 cents per dozen and are being taken up as rapidly as offered. Young chickens are numerous and the price is being cut. The market, however, is not overstocked in ducks and geese.

Prevailing vegetables are coming from Colorado and the receipts are liberal. There is a strong demand for grapes and fancy fruits. California tomatoes, celery and lettuce are coming in in liberal supply.

The news from the trade throughout the Houston district continues very optimistic, with great activity displayed in all lines that are in season. No failures are reported by the commercial agencies and business throughout this territory appears to be on a splendid footing. There have been no startling developments during the week, but the expected increase in business for the time of year materialized.

The cotton movement continues very heavy and arrivals at Houston are far ahead of last year at this time. Daily receipts in Houston average 50,000 bales. Various estimates are appearing concerning the Texas crop. They vary from 4,000,000 to 4,250,000 and 4,500,000 bales. The en-

tire crop is estimated at about 15,000,000 bales. There is a widespread conviction that the season's crop is going to be so large that despite improvement in the trade there will be a plethora of supply and a corresponding decline in price. Big trade interests have been looking for lower prices and have acted accordingly.

### HOTEL ARRIVALS

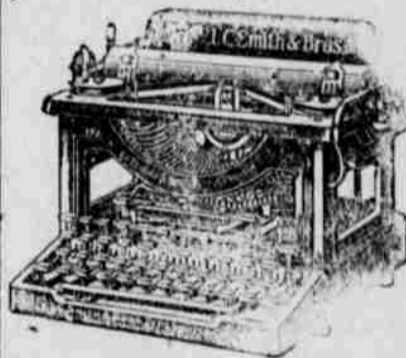
#### Hotel Bryan.

R. H. Johnson, Fort Worth.  
P. R. Anderson, Victoria.  
J. W. Williams, Zulch.  
J. M. Peters, Cross.  
W. M. Whitcombe, I. & G. N. Ry.  
D. F. Grisett, Mineola.  
C. A. Naull, Houston.  
T. Brant, Houston.  
U. E. Rogers, Chicago.  
W. C. Bishop, Kansas City.  
H. Bennett, Chicago.  
W. D. Wheeler, Hearne.  
George K. Meyers, Dallas.  
F. B. Bryan, Houston.  
J. W. Spindle, Virginia.  
D. Tucker, Sutton.  
T. Chance, Chicago.  
R. L. Marshall, San Antonio.  
H. F. Hill, Beaumont.  
W. J. Ran Houston.  
J. V. Scrivener, Houston.  
J. Brant, Houston.  
Dr. George R. Tabor, Dallas.  
Frank Kerr, New Orleans.  
T. Tomohundno, New Orleans.  
W. H. Penland, New Orleans.  
J. W. Miller, Corsicana.  
A. U. Payne, Dallas.  
J. S. Hawey, Navasota.  
Claude Nelson, Dallas.  
James L. Reinhard, Houston.  
R. W. Dean, Dallas.  
J. W. Hill, Houston.  
R. G. Austin, St. Louis.  
T. E. Johnson, Syracuse.  
J. A. Battle, Austin.  
T. W. Ervin, Boston.  
L. G. Wallace, Dallas.  
C. J. Harris, Houston.  
J. Conner, Mart.  
R. W. Finley, Jr., Austin.  
H. H. Bowrer, Corsicana.  
S. H. Frenkel, St. Louis.  
R. H. Falley, Chicago.  
W. T. York, Boston.  
Joe Goldenberg, Waco.  
J. S. Chambers, St. Louis.  
R. R. Adams, Houston.

Lost—Cameo pin between Allen Academy and the railroad crossing at the standpipe. A suitable reward will be given to the party returning same to The Eagle office. Mrs. J. S. Hammond.

Beethoven an... could have been glad if he... destroyed some of his early works, among them the septet and the song "Adelaide," the great popularity of both of which annoyed him because he had written so much better things for which he would have preferred that popularity. It now seems that he was not pleased with "Adelaide" at the time when he composed it. Richard Batka has found an anecdote indicating that this was the case in the memoirs of Beethoven's friend 1912s, who died in 1874. A man named Barth, who had a beautiful tenor voice, one morning called on Beethoven. He found him in a bad humor, on the point the moment the visitor entered of tearing up a manuscript. Barth asked him what was the matter, and Beethoven answered, "Oh, I wanted to write a song, and I succeeded in finishing it, but now I don't like it and want to destroy it." "Let me look at it," exclaimed the tenor. He sat down at the piano and sang it at sight so effectively that the composer's face beamed with joy. A fortnight later this song—it was "Adelaide"—was being sung all over Vienna.

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